Command Challenges

- Confusion and uncertainty
- Too many chiefs at the scene
- Consequences of failure are drastic
- Dynamic conditions
- Competing priorities
- Time sensitive problems
- Lack of <u>immediate</u> resources
- Conflicting information
- Poor communication methods
- Too much "collective planning"
- Failure to "think big" early
- ICS and unity of command
- Over-mission tasking
- Friction, Fog, Noise
- Not enough think time
- Media
- Interruption, fatigue and frustration
- Sustained operations
- Keep it simple focus on the basics